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PRANK
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SPECIAL!

GNASHER'S
ON THE
RUN!

NEW
CHARACTER
INSIDE!

POLLY FROM DERBY IS THE BEANO BOSS!



WANT TO BE

THE
BEANO BOSS?

Next week,
it could be you!

ALL YOU NEED TO DO IS
ANSWER THIS QUESTION!

What colour
is Q's hair
this week?

The answer is somewhere in this comic!



- PICK THE BEST JOKES
- TEST OUT THE PRANK
- AWARD SOMEONE THE GOLDEN SPLAT
- READ THE COMIC STRIPS FIRST
- AND LOADS MORE!

Email your answer to:

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Don't forget to include a photo too!

Make sure you tell us:

1 The answer to the question!

2 Your all-time favourite joke!

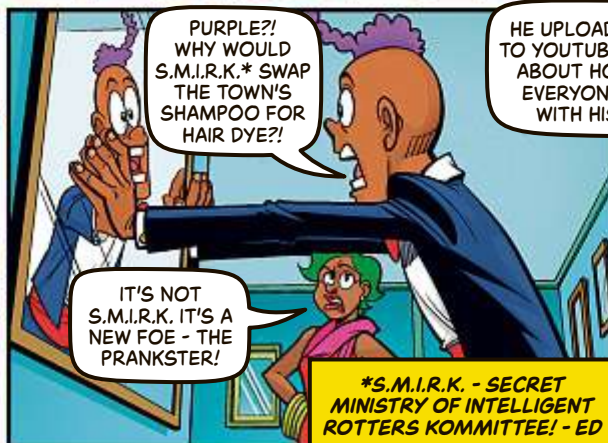
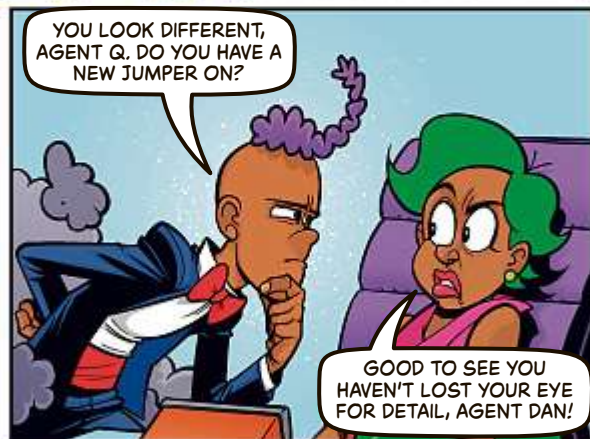
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The funniest entry will be chosen by the Beano editor. Please see page 35 for important details. Did you know, the amount of poop an African elephant produces in seven hours is heavier than a fully-grown human?!

DANGEROUS DAN

BEANTOWN'S **TOP** SPY!



I'LL TRACK THIS PRANKSTER DOWN!
ER... DOES THIS DYE WASH OUT?

NO, I'VE TRIED.
I'VE GOT AN APPOINTMENT
AT LUNCH FOR A RECOLOUR.

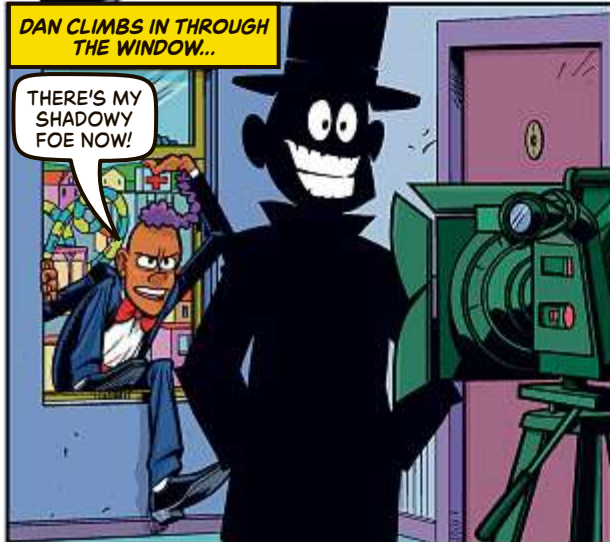
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DAN CLIMBS IN THROUGH THE WINDOW...

THERE'S MY SHADOWY FOE NOW!



THE PRANKSTER'S A CARDBOARD CUT-OUT?!

WHAT'S THIS ON THE BACK?

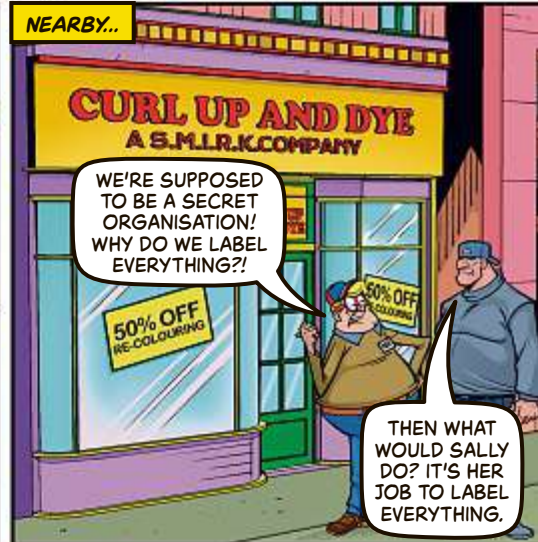


NEARBY...

CURL UP AND DYE
A S.M.I.R.K. COMPANY

WE'RE SUPPOSED TO BE A SECRET ORGANISATION!
WHY DO WE LABEL EVERYTHING?!

THEN WHAT WOULD SALLY DO? IT'S HER JOB TO LABEL EVERYTHING.



DAN STUDIES THE VIDEO. HIS ONLY CLUE IS...

THERE! OUT OF THE WINDOW BEHIND THE PRANKSTER - IT'S THE FRONT OF THE TOWN HALL!

HA-HA-HA! IT WAS ME! THE PRANKSTER!

THAT STILL LEAVES HALF THE TOWN... I NEED TO NARROW MY SEARCH.

I'LL ZOOM IN MORE...

...THERE! TO THE LEFT OF THE TOWN HALL! IT'S BEANOTOWN SWIMMING POOL!

THE PRANKSTER MUST BE IN ONE OF THE BUILDINGS ALONG THIS LINE.

IF I FLY ALONG THE RED LINE, I MIGHT SPOT A CLUE!

NOTHING SO FAR.

CRASH!

URRGH! THIS MIGHT BE A CLUE!

PRANKSTER SECRET HIDEOUT

WHY HAVE WE EVEN GOT THAT AS A JOB?!

WHY HAVE S.M.I.R.K. PRANKED EVERYONE IN TOWN? IT'S NOT THEIR STYLE. THEY DO EVIL PLANS, NOT PRANKS.

IS YOUR HAIR THE WRONG COLOUR FOR SOME REASON? COME TO 'CURL UP AND DYE' AND WE'LL SORT IT WITH OUR NEW RE-COLOURISER!

URRGH! AN AD! SKIP! SKIP! I HATE UNSKIPPABLE ADS!

WAIT!

WHAT'S THAT WRITTEN UNDER THE CURL UP AND DYE SIGN?

INSIDE THE HAIRDRESSER'S...



What do you call a fast fungus? **A mush-vroom!**

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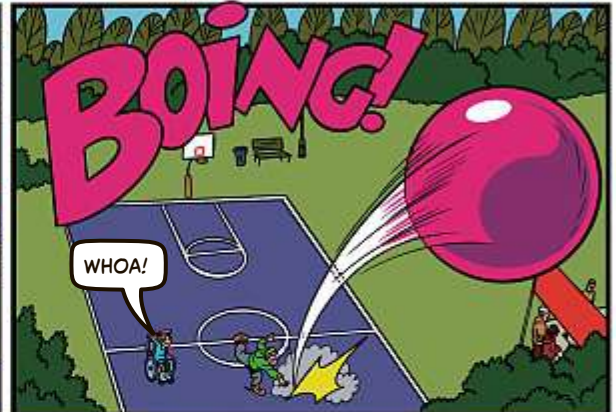
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RUBI'S



SCREWTOP SCIENCE



WORDS: Jess Bradley ART: Shannon Gallant



What do fish use to help them hear? **A herring aid!**

DOMINO EFFECT!

These jokes will make you fall like dominoes - with laughter!

How do hurricanes see?
With one eye!

When is the moon the heaviest?
When it's full!

What do you call an adorable volcano?
Lava-ble!

Who built the ark?
I have Noah idea!

What bow can't be tied?
A rainbow!

What did Mars say to Saturn?
'Give me a ring sometime!'

Why did Teacher go to the beach?
To test the water!

How did the Vikings send secret messages?
By Norse code!

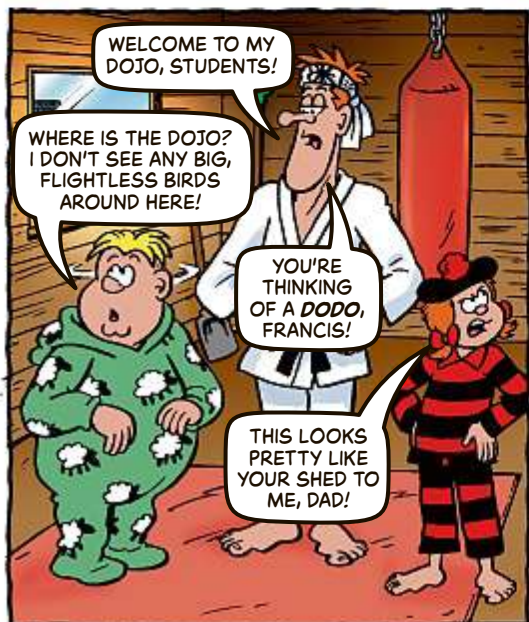
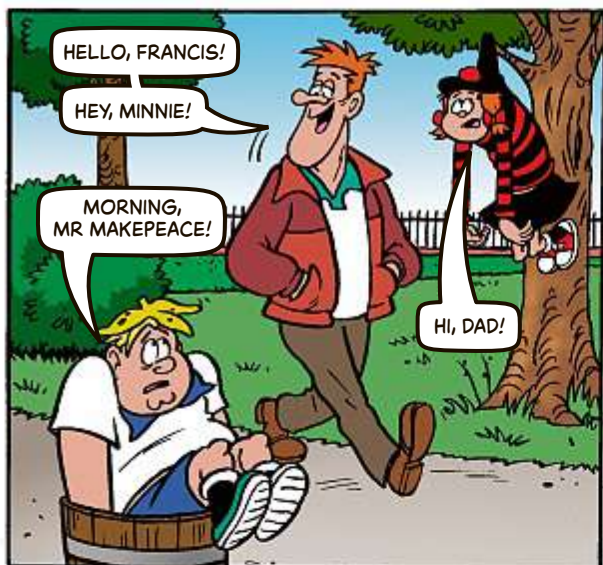
Why did the pine tree get into trouble?
Because it was being knotty!

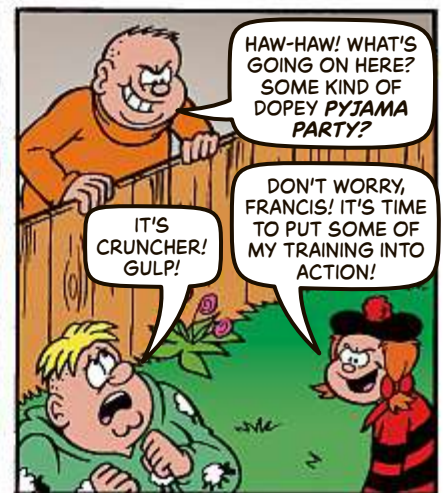
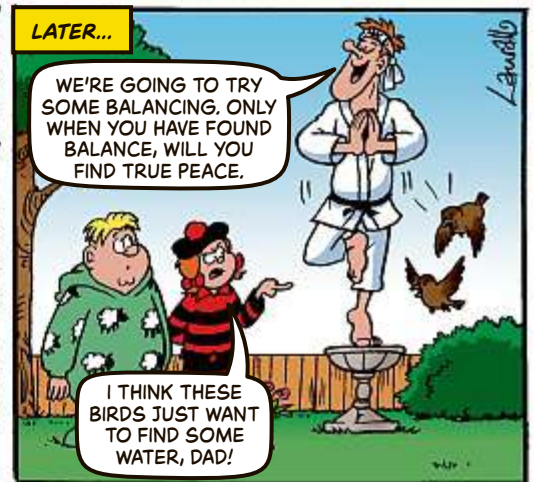
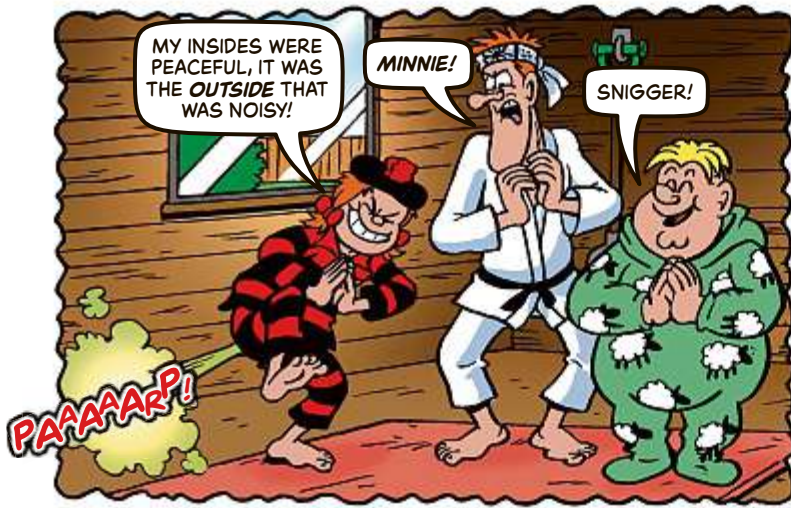


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MINNIE THE MINX

SHE'S TOUGHER THAN ALL THE BOYS...





What is green and goes camping? A boy sprout!

WIN!



KAPOW!



Chop, strike and swipe your way through level after level to be crowned karate master in **Break the Board**! Can you smash the competition? We have 15 to give away!

To have a chance of winning, just answer this question:

WHAT COLOUR IS THE HIGHEST RANKING BELT IN KARATE?
A YELLOW B GREEN C BLACK

WIN!



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WHICH OF THESE BIRDS CAN'T FLY?
A GOOSE B EMU C OWL

WIN!
ALL THIS...

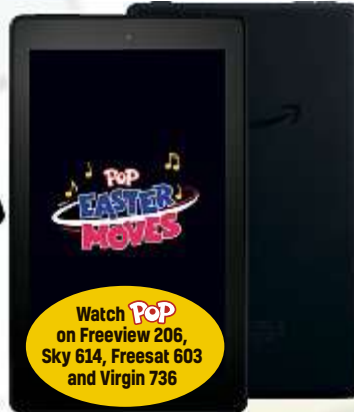


WIN!



You can watch Alvin and the Chipmunks, 44 Cats, Miraculous and more as part of **Easter Moves on POP!** It's going to be an eggs-travaganza! To celebrate, we're giving away a **32GB Fire HD 8 Tablet** to one lucky reader!

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To have a chance of winning, just answer this question:

WHO IS THE CHIPMUNKS' FATHER?

A DAVE B DARREN C DUSTIN

HOW TO ENTER!

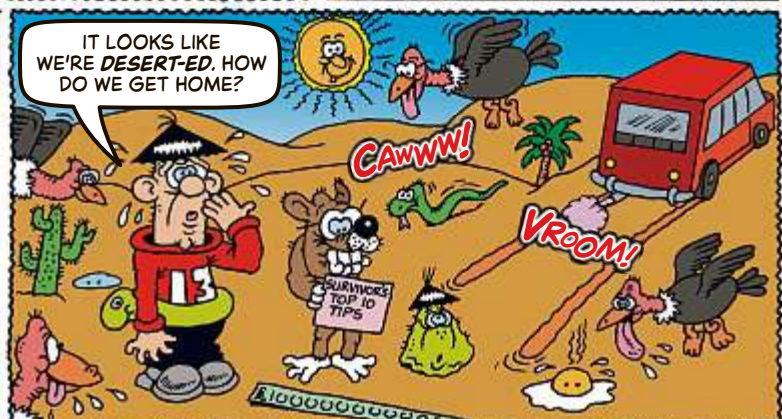
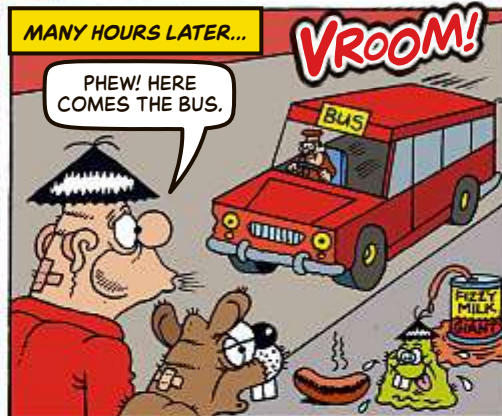
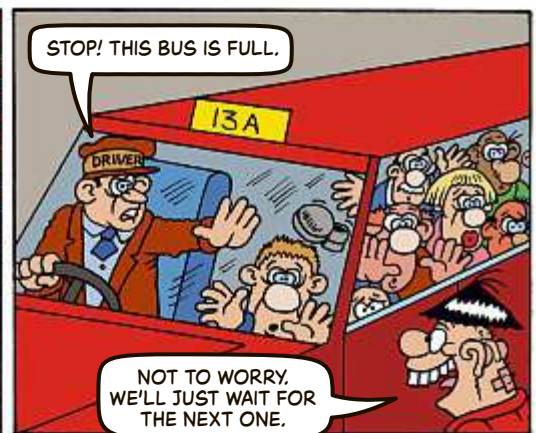
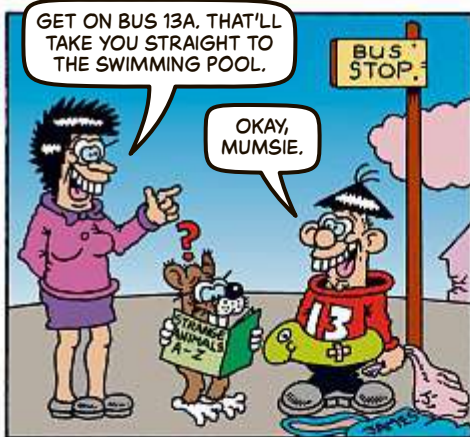
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Closing dates for entries: April 14th, 2021 09:00am (GMT). See page 35 for full competition details.

CALAMITY JAMES



THE UNLUCKIEST BOY IN THE WORLD!



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BETTY AND THE YETI!

THE ORDINARY GIRL WITH THE EXTRAORDINARY BEST FRIEND!



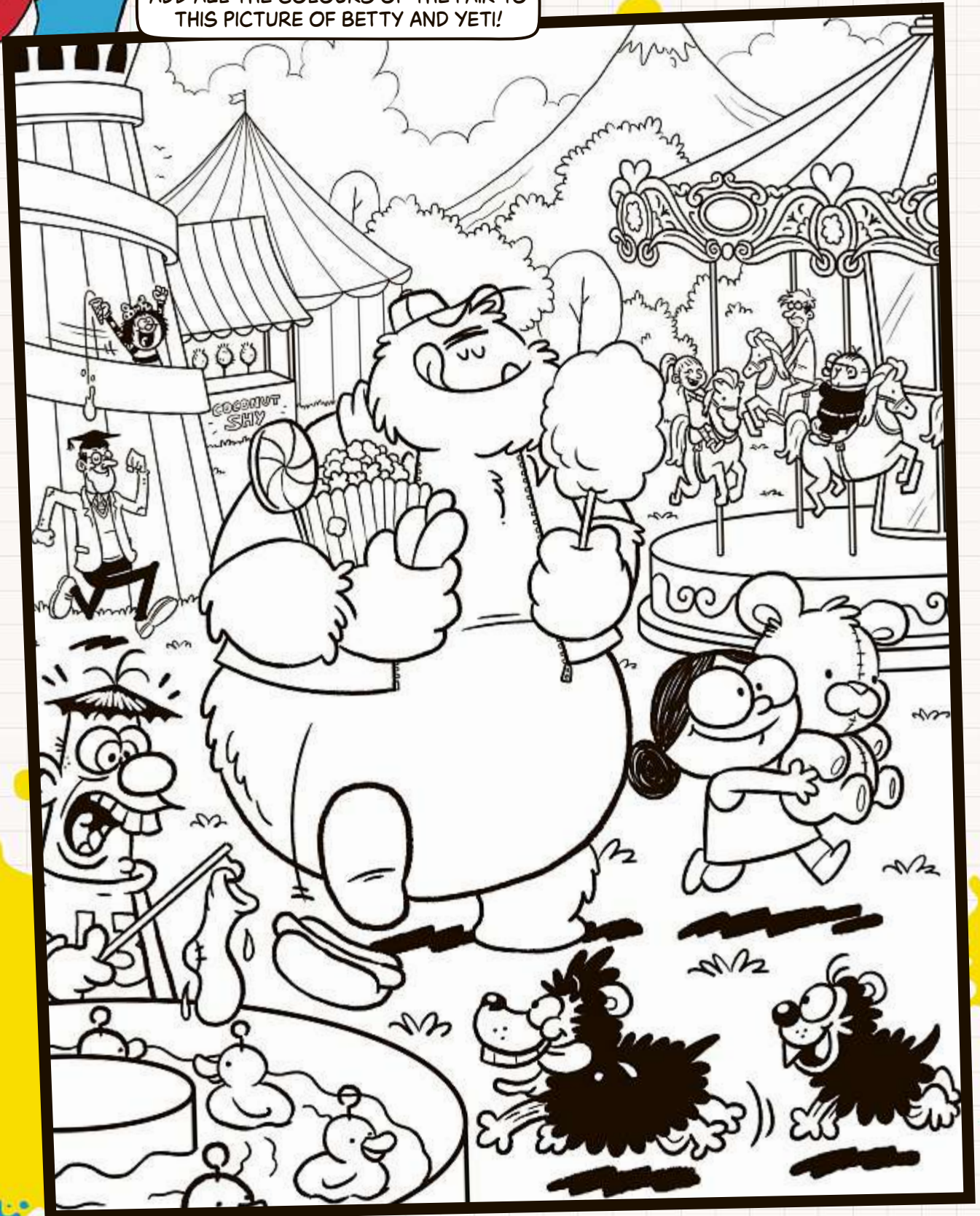
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What's the smelliest city in America? **Phew York!**

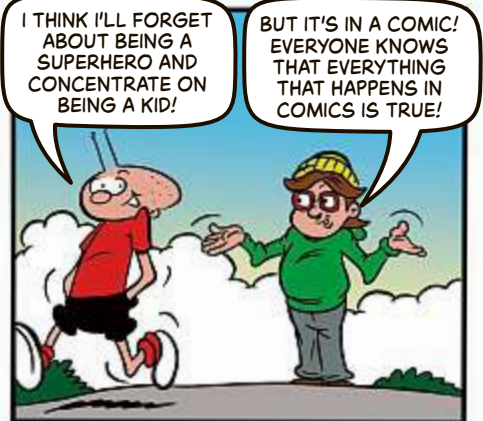
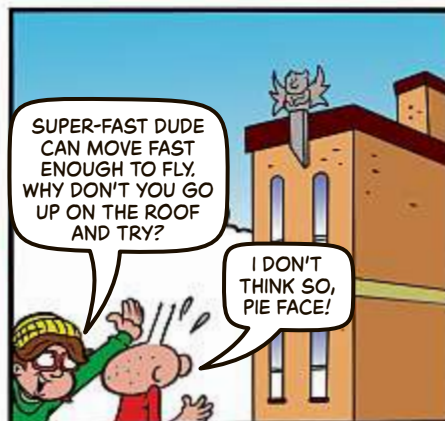
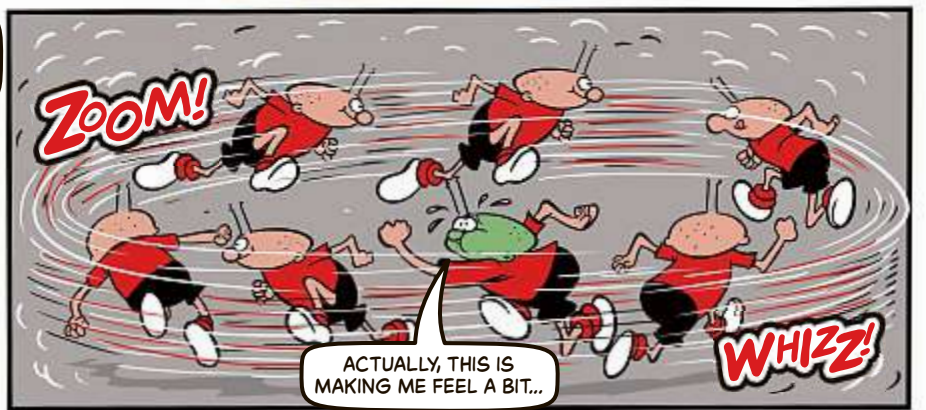
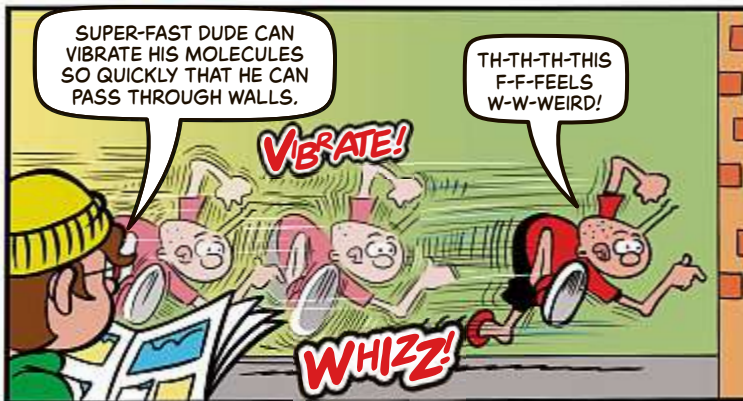
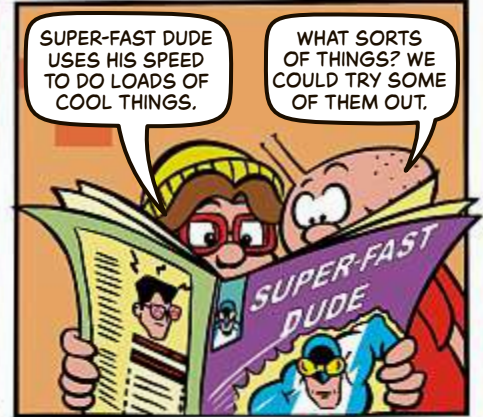
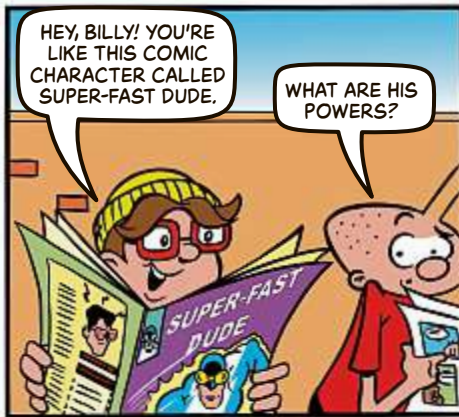


ADD ALL THE COLOURS OF THE FAIR TO
THIS PICTURE OF BETTY AND YETI!



BILLY WHIZZ

THE FASTEST BOY IN THE WORLD!



WORDS: Ned Hartley ART: Wayne Thompson



What is a golf club's favourite music? **Swing!**

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DENNIS & GNASHER UNLEASHED

AS SEEN ON CBBC!



THE MENACE FAMILY ARE IN THE CAR...

WE'RE OFF TO DOGLAND, GNASHER!

IT'S A THEME PARK FOR DOGS! HUNDREDS OF LAMP POSTS TO SNIFF! AUTOMATIC STICK THROWERS! YOU'LL LOVE IT!

BUT...

THE VET'S! DOGLAND WAS A LIE!

INSIDE...

WE'VE BROUGHT OUR DOG FOR HIS ANNUAL CHECK-UP.

WHERE IS HE?

IN THE CAR.

I CAN'T SEE A DOG, JUST A SWIRLING MASS OF FUR AND TEETH.

THAT'S HIM.

I'LL JUST POP THIS INSIDE. IT WILL HELP TO CALM HIM DOWN.

I GET THE FEELING THIS VET HASN'T MET GNASHER BEFORE.

BUT...

ARRGH!

IT'S OKAY! I'LL GET IT!

BOOF!

EVERYONE'S FALLEN ASLEEP! GNOW'S MY CHANCE TO GET AWAY.

OR...

AND THAT WAS HOW THE 'GNASHER GANG' BEGAN...

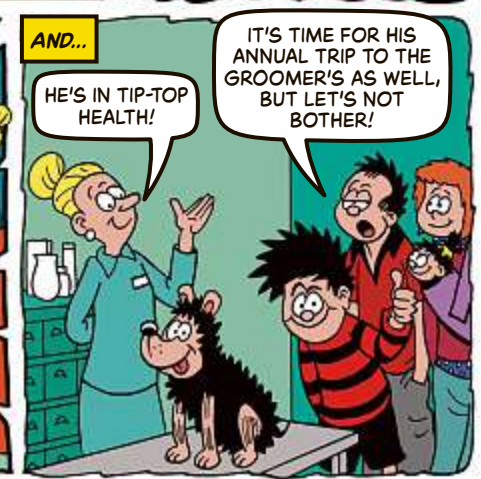
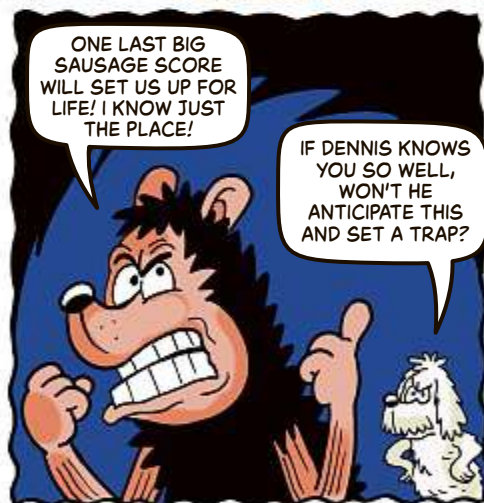
THIS IS A PRISON BREAK! COME WITH ME AND BE FREE!

GNASH!

GNASH!

GNASH!

GNASH!



What do you call a fairy who never takes a bath? **Stinker-bell!**

PAWS-ITIVE ID!

Sergeant Slipper wants to know which dog led the raid on Butch Butcher's shop! Using the clues, can you sniff out the four-legged culprit?



CLUES

The suspect **doesn't** have droopy ears.
You can **see** the suspect's eyes.
The suspect **doesn't** have spots.
The suspect **doesn't** have curly fur.
The suspect **CLEARLY** isn't an undercover police dog.

The dog that led the raid was

.....



Solution

It was Gnasher! Gasp!

ANGEL FACE INVESTIGATES

Detective for hire!

WORDS: Nigel Auchterlounie ART: George Gant



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CAN YOU IMAGINE
A WORLD WITH
NO SCREENS?!

MISERABLE TEDDY

NO TABLETS!

BLANK TABLET



NO CUTE CAT VIDEOS!

ALEXA!
WHAT TIME IS IT?

ALEXA!
WHY AREN'T YOU TALKING TO ME?!

NO ALEXA!

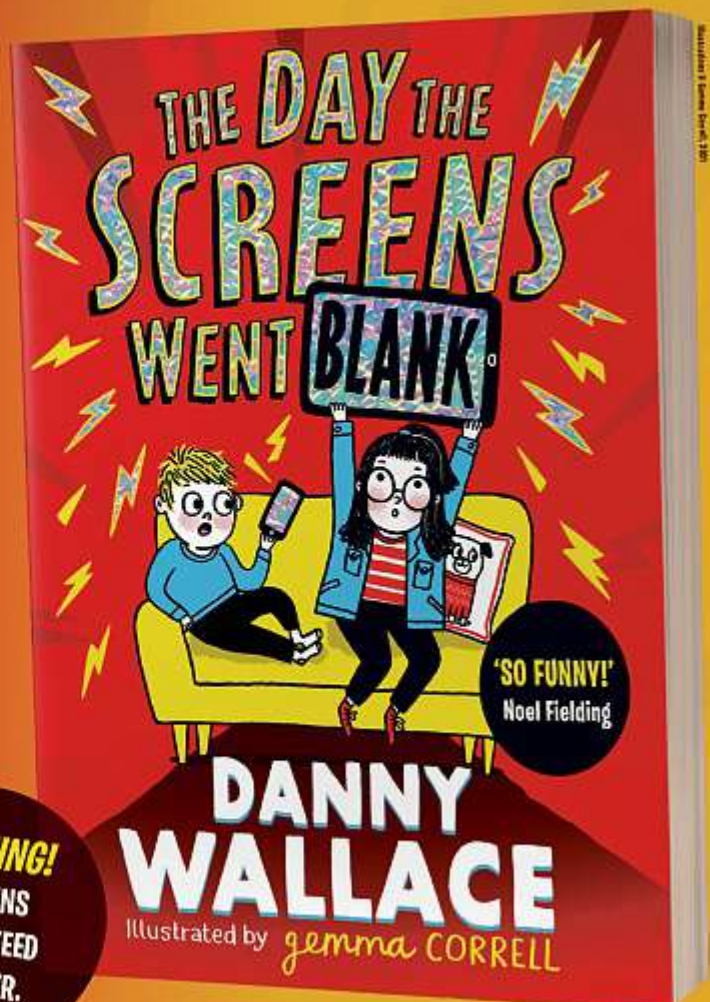
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HARSHA'S PRANK

**DON'T MISS A TRICK
THIS APRIL FOOL'S DAY
WITH THESE PRANKS!**

You'll need:

- Glue
- Crisp tube
- Mayonnaise
- Bowl
- Sprinkles
- Orange food colouring
- Glass of water
- A leek
- Chocolate
- Lolly sticks
- Broccoli
- Tinfoil, wrapping paper or tissue paper



ALLERGY AWARE!
Do not try these pranks where allergies may be an issue.

1



Glue the lid onto a crisp tube. Once the glue has dried, leave the tube where it'll be found. When your trick is discovered, you'll definitely be told to **packet** in!

4



Place a leek on the toilet seat, then shout to your parents that there's a leek in the toilet. They'll come running. You won't all be **vege-pals** after this trick!

5



Ask an adult to melt chocolate. Chop broccoli into small pieces, stick them onto lolly sticks and then dip them in the chocolate. Leave to harden and hand them out to everyone you want to prank. They won't enjoy this treat!

ACADEMY

APRIL FOOL'S DAY SPECIAL!

No.5

2



Squirt some mayonnaise into a bowl and add sprinkles on top. Hand it to someone and say that the ice cream has melted a little. They'll want to scream when they taste this trick!

3



Add some orange food colouring to a glass of water until it looks the same colour as orange juice. Give the glass to the person you want to prank. You'll be in **hot water** when they discover your trick!

6



Go into the settings of someone's phone and change their ringtone to a really annoying and loud noise. Call the phone and you'll be **running rings** around them!

7



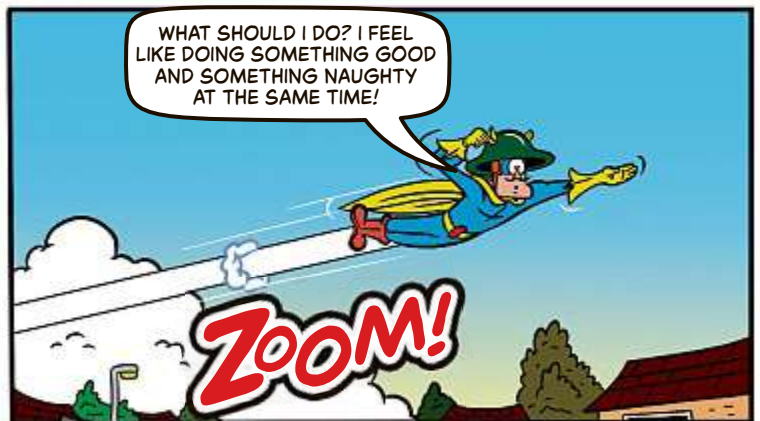
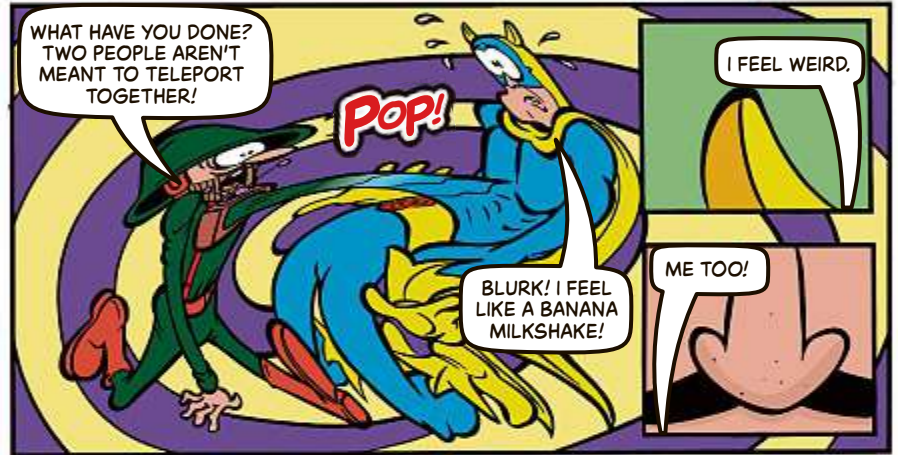
Using tinfoil, wrapping paper or tissue paper, wrap everything on the bed of the person you want to prank. Leave everything exactly as you found it and you'll have this trick **wrapped up**!

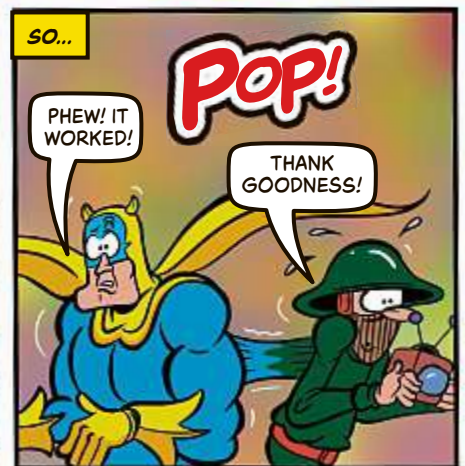
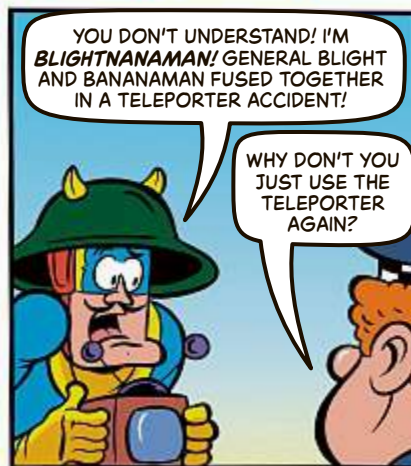
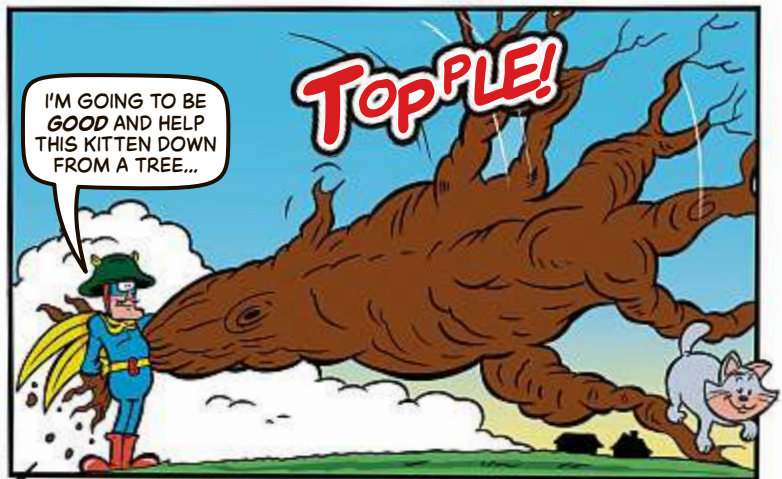
I'LL BE KEEPING MY FAMILY GUESSING ALL DAY WITH THESE PRANKS!



WHEN LITTLE ERIC EATS A BANANA, HE BECOMES...

BANANAMAN





How many skunks does it take to make a stink? **A phew!**

MENACE MIX-UP!

Uh-oh! General Blight's done it again and now Bananaman has fused together with six residents of Beanotown! Can you work out who?



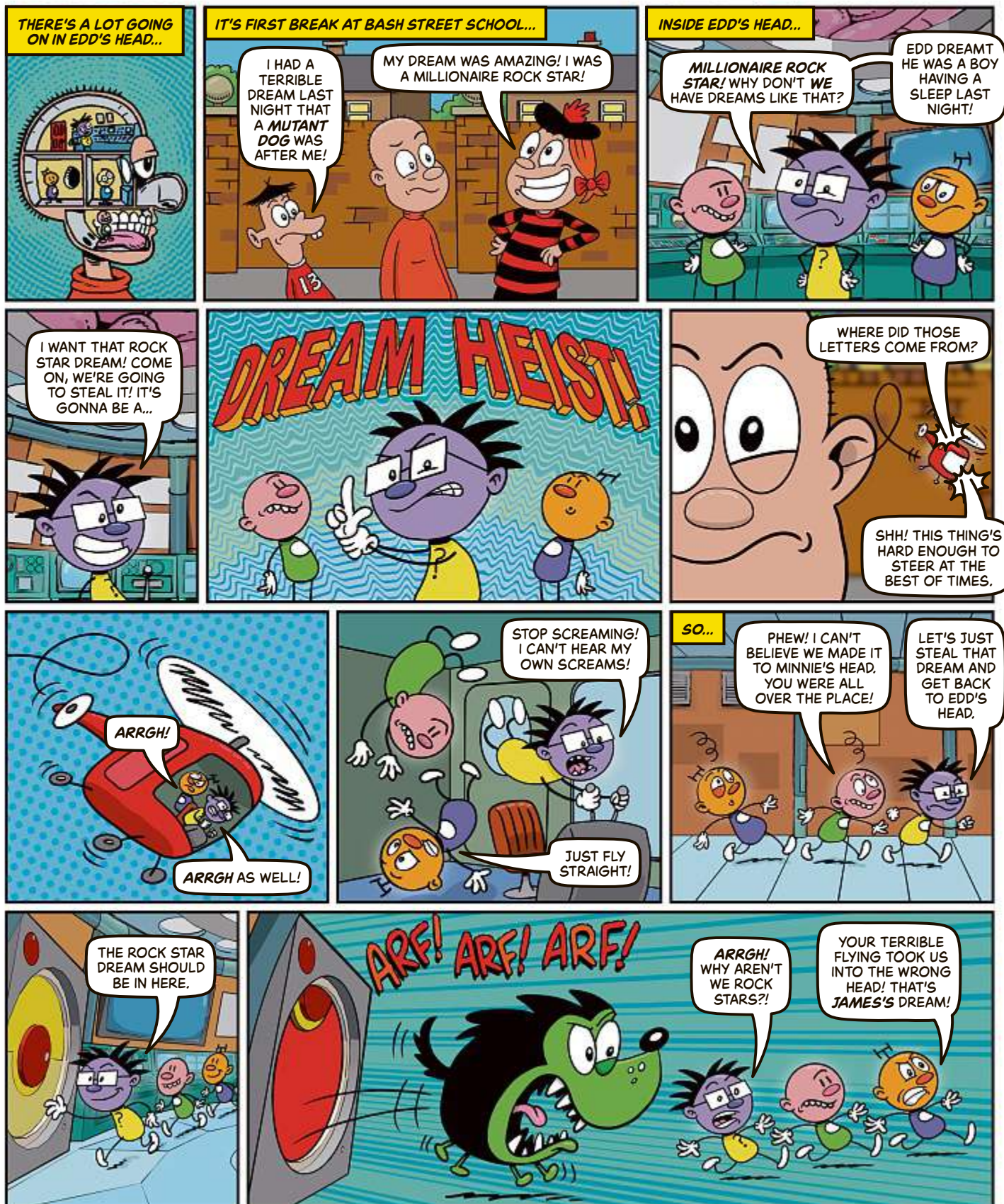
**HA!
APRIL FOOL!**

Solution

(1) Plugs ears, (2) Minnie's hair, (3) Calamity James's mouth, (4) Spotty's spots and tie, (5) Yeti's torso, (6) Ellis the Elephant's bottom half

NUMSKULLS

The Little guys that Live in your head! Everybody has them!



BE MORE **BEANO**

I'M GLAD I DON'T HAVE TO CLEAN UP AFTER THESE MENACES! SEND IN YOUR BEANO PICTURES AND YOU COULD APPEAR HERE TOO!



THEO FROM SHROPSHIRE



THEO HAS WON MY GOLDEN SPLAT THIS WEEK FOR HIS AWESOME COLOURING SKILLS!



A MENACE'S BEST FRIEND!



JACK FROM AUSTRALIA

FLORENCE FROM SOLIHULL



I DON'T MEAN TO PARROT ON, BUT BEANO IS THE BEST!

Jack always shares his Beano with a wild king parrot!



BEANO WILL GO DOWN IN HISTORY AS AWESOME!

Florence has been loving reading her uncle's old Beano collection!

Who's your menacing best mate?

No menace is complete without their best animal buddy! Do you have a pet you love to read Beano with? Take a picture and send it in with your name and home town to animalbuddy@beano.com

AIMEE FROM TROON

JAMES FROM BRISTOL



JAMES CAME TO VISIT THE REAL BASH STREET IN DUNDEE. YOU'RE WELCOME BACK ANY TIME!



EDITH AND JACOB FROM STRATFORD-UPON-AVON



OMAR FROM LEEDS



DO YOU HAVE WHAT IT TAKES TO...

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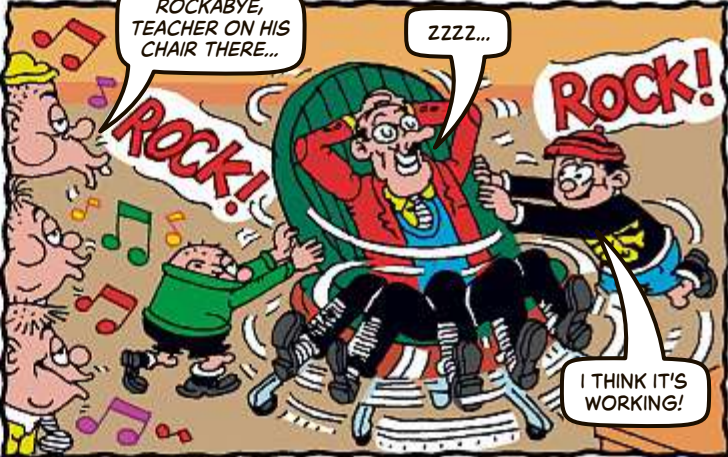
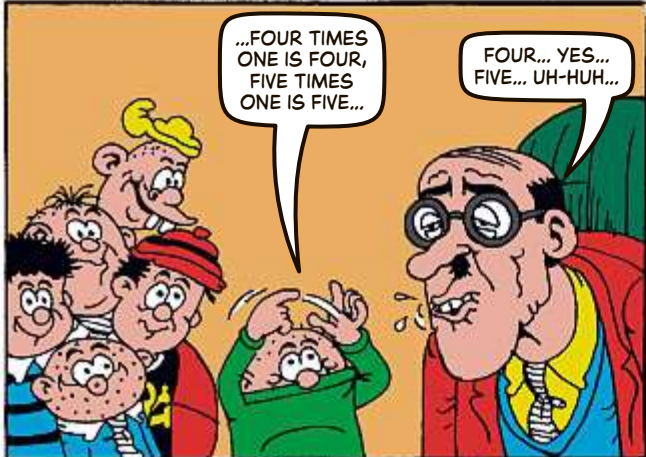
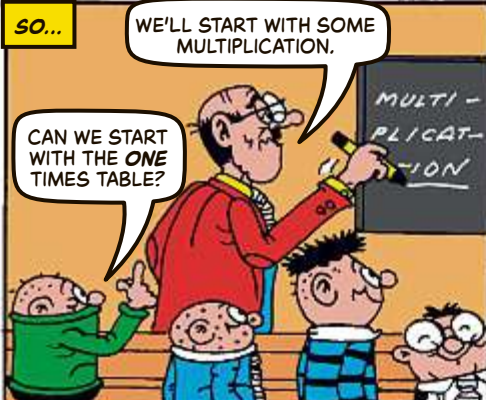
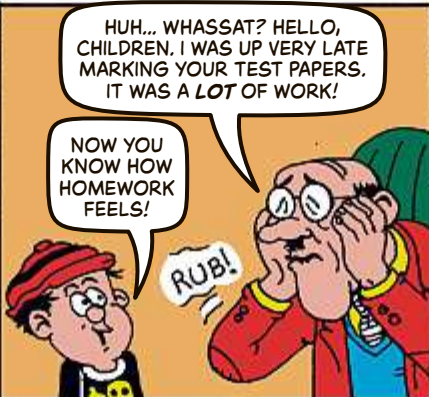


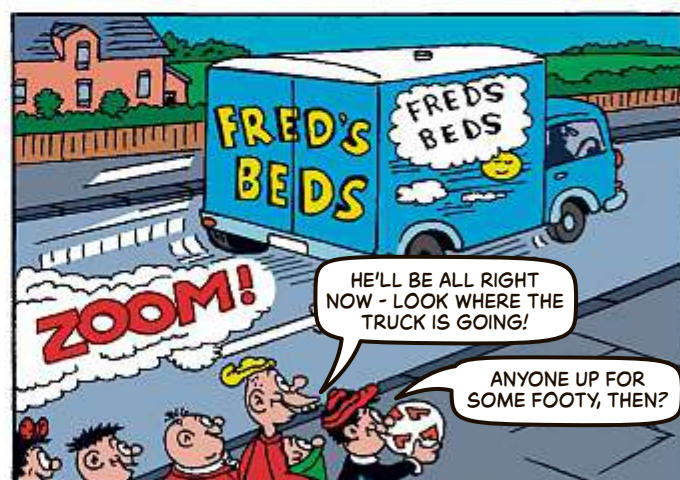
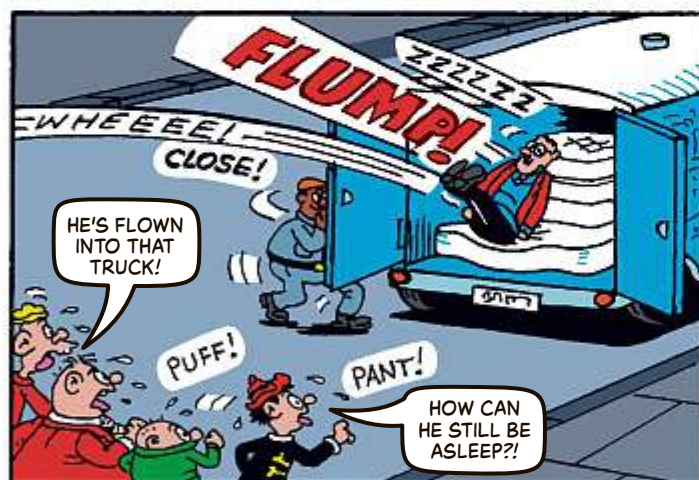
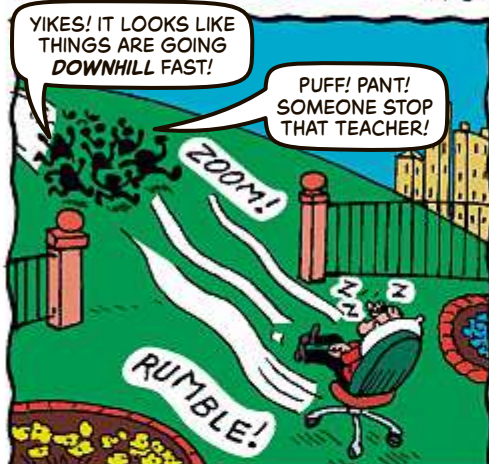
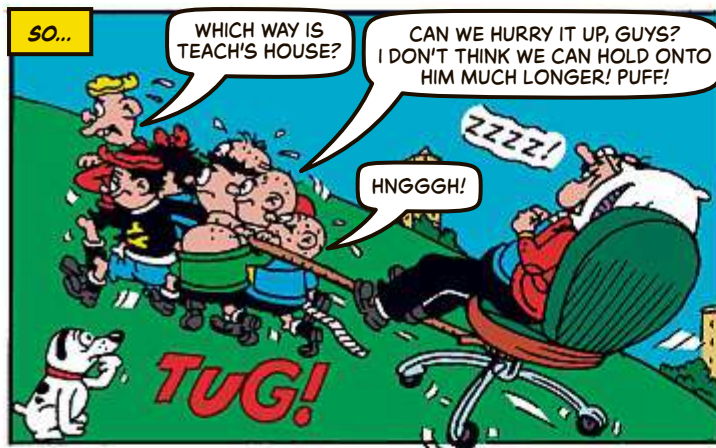
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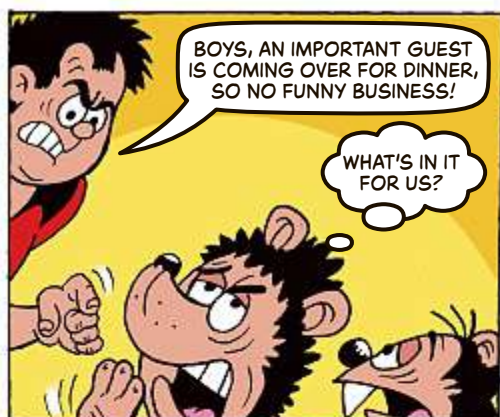




What do you get if you cross a hedgehog with a giraffe? A really long toothbrush!

GNASHER & GNIPPER

THE ADVENTURES OF BEANTOWN'S MENACE HOUNDS!



WORDS: Jess Bradley ART: Barrie Appleby



What do you call a wizard from outer space? A flying sorcerer!

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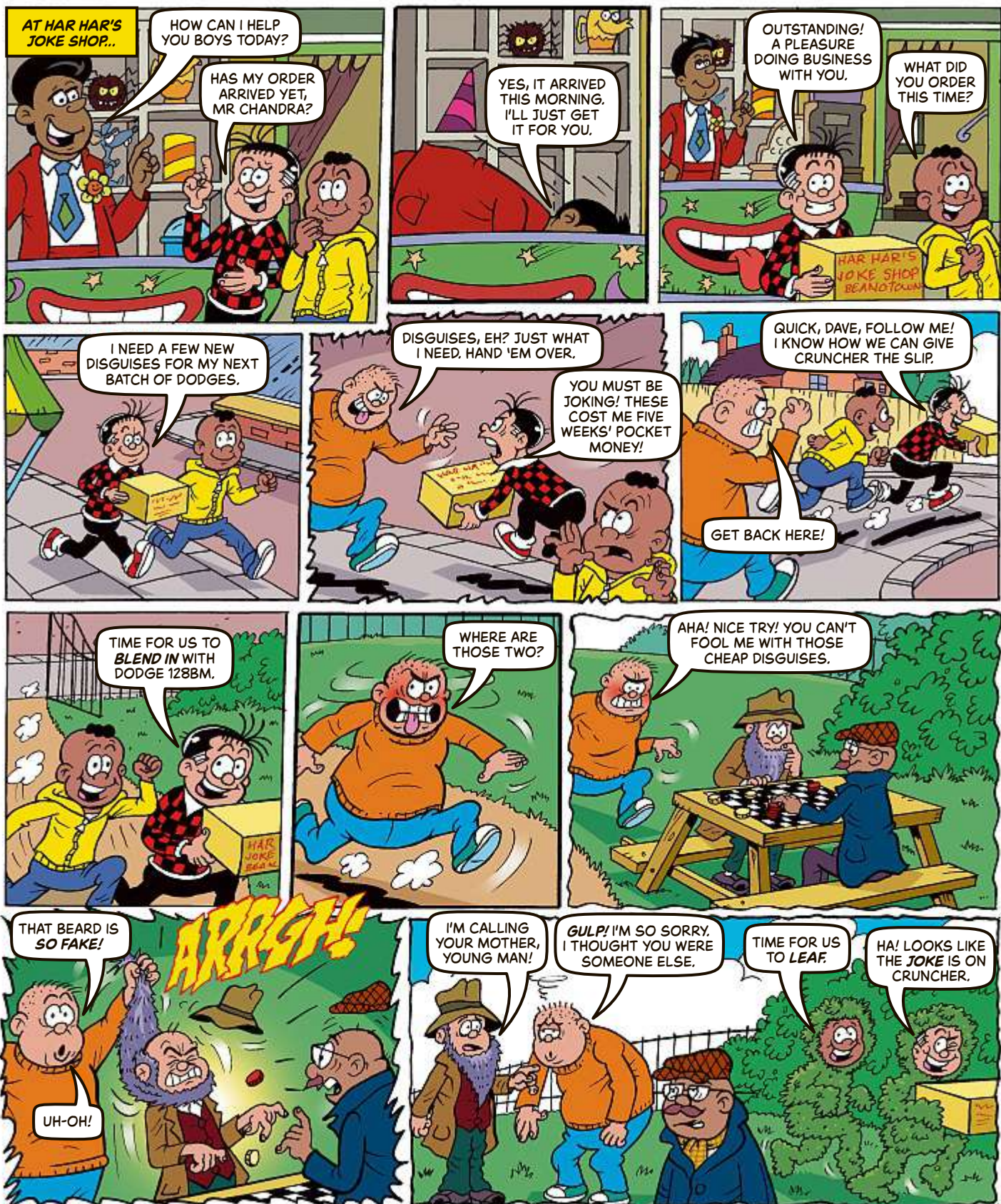
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ROGER THE DODGER

HE'S ALWAYS GOT A TRICK UP HIS SLEEVE!



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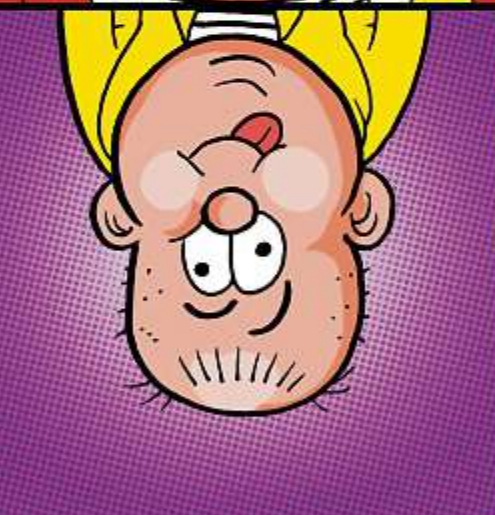


What tool helps a ghost lie perfectly flat? **A spirit level!**

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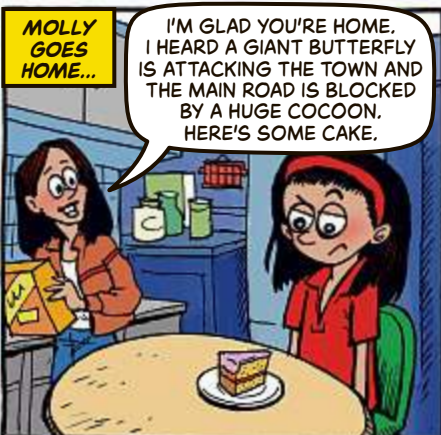
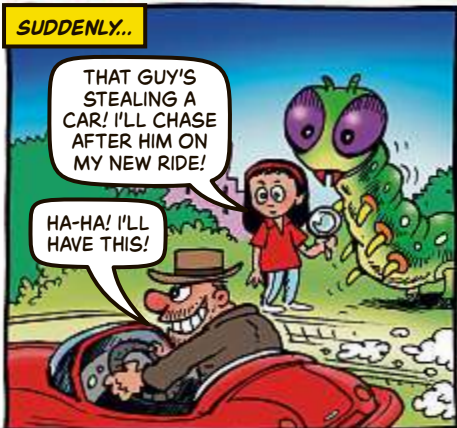
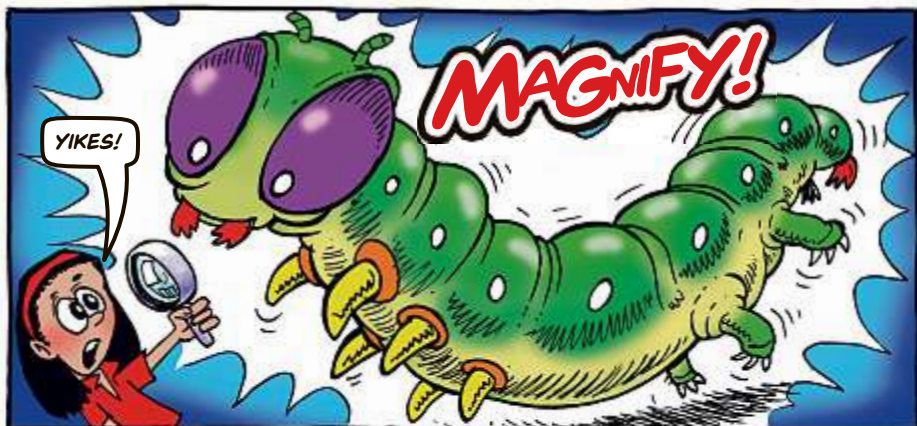
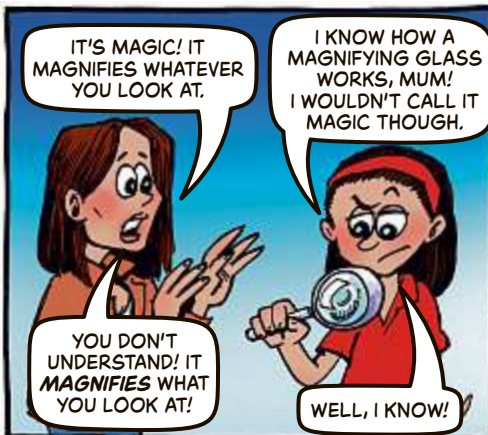
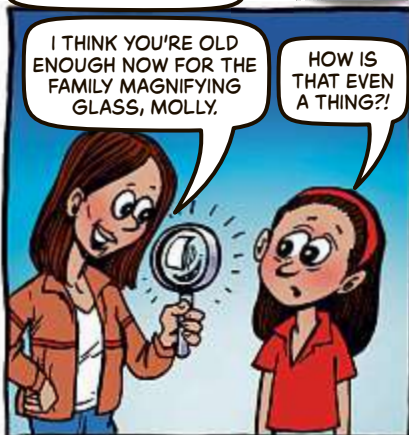
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